UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	DOCUMENT ELECTRONICALLY FILED DOC #: DATE FILED: DEC 05 2014
MIGUEL CALLEJA, on behalf of himself and	:
all others similarly situated,	:
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Plaintiff,	: : ORDER
-v-	. <u>ORDER</u>
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EL AGUILA LEX, LLC, EL AGUILA III, LLC,	· :
PEDRO MATAR and FERNANDO MATAR,	:
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Defendants.	:
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KATHERINE B. FORREST, District Judge:

On December 4, 2014, the Court was advised that the parties will be filing a stipulation of voluntary dismissal, with prejudice.

This action was brought under the FLSA and New York State labor laws. A settlement must be scrutinized by the Court to ensure that it is fair. See, e.g., Elliott v. Allstate Investigations, Inc., No. 07 Civ. 6078 (DLC), 2008 WL 728648 (S.D.N.Y. Mar. 19, 2008).

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties submit any proposed settlement agreement to the Court for its approval no later than **December 16**, **2014**. The parties shall also on or before that date make submissions in support of their settlement, explaining why it should be approved based on the issues described in <u>Elliott</u>. With regard to the FLSA claim, such submissions shall provide for any plaintiff (1) the amount of unpaid overtime compensation claimed on his or

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her FLSA claim; (2) the amount of the settlement consideration attributable to the

FLSA claim; and (3) any weaknesses, strengths, uncertainties or other

circumstances with regard to the FLSA claim, or its prosecution, that affected the

corresponding portion of the settlement consideration. In addition, the submission

shall (4) set forth the amount of any award of attorney's fees and the specific basis

for that fee calculation (e.g., hourly rate, number of hours, and any contractual

limitations on the fee award).

The status conference scheduled for Friday, December 5, 2014, is hereby

ADJOURNED.

SO ORDERED.

Dated:

New York, New York

December <u>5</u>, 2014

KATHERINE B. FORREST

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United States District Judge

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